



COMMUTER ALERT

Date: April 6, 2010
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State Route 180--Construction **Road Closures & Detours** **In Place--April 15**

WHAT: 4-lanes of New Expressway will be constructed & Kings Canyon (SR-180) will remain OPEN throughout the 2-Phases of Construction from Temperance Ave. to Academy Ave. This project has been on Winter Suspension & construction will resume on Thursday, April 15. The TRAFFIC DETOUR PLAN FOR "PHASE 1" IS OUTLINED BELOW:

DETOUR: PHASE 1- Construct west bound lanes of future Expressway/SR-180. All crossroads accessing Kings Canyon from the north will be CLOSED. Traffic will be DETOURED on to Belmont to the north or Jensen to south, motorists may use Temperance, McCall or Academy to travel north & south bound.
This DETOUR will start Thursday, April 15 and remain in place for the next 6-months, weather permitting.

SCHEDULE: This \$27 million project is locally funded by Fresno County's ½ cent Transportation Sales Tax, "Measure C" & was leveraged with Federal Stimulus Money. It is scheduled for completion in the Summer of 2011, weather permitting

QUESTIONS: For additional information on this project, please contact:
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